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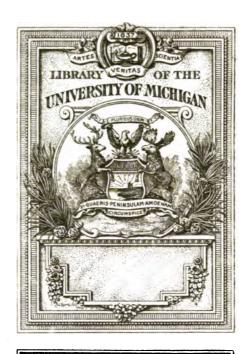
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[No. 315.]

AN ACT to authorize the common council of the city of Detroit to borrow money for the purpose of acquiring lands and constructing library building or buildings thereon, and the completion and maintenance thereof.

The People of the State of Michigan enact:

SECTION 1. The common council of the city of Detroit is Bond issue hereby authorized to borrow for the purpose of acquiring limit. lands and constructing library building or buildings thereon, and the completion and maintenance thereof, a sum of money which added to the existing bonded debt for library purposes, shall not exceed one million five hundred thousand dollars, on the faith and credit of said city, and upon the best terms that can be made, and to issue bonds of said city to an amount not exceeding that sum, pledging its faith and credit for the payment of the principal and interest, but said bonds shall not be negotiated at less than their par Said bonds shall be denominated "public library bonds of the city of Detroit," and shall be regularly dated and numbered in the order of their issue, and shall be for the sums of not less than one hundred dollars each, and shall bear interest not exceeding five per cent per annum, and shall be payable in thirty years from date. They shall be issued under the seal of the city, signed by the mayor and countersigned by the controller. The controller shall keep Record, how an accurate record of said bonds showing the class of indebtedness to which they belong, the number, date and amount of each bond; its rate of interest, when and where the same is payable, and the person to whom it is issued or any transferee thereof. No bonds shall be issued under this act until the issue of the same shall have been authorized and approved by the board of estimates of the city of Detroit.

SEC. 2. In order to provide a sinking fund for the redemp-Sinking fund. tion of the bonds provided for in the preceding section, the common council shall have power, and it shall be its duty, to raise by taxation in each year, upon the property assessed for city purposes, within said city, a sum equal to two and

one-half per cent of the amount of said bonds issued under the provisions of this act, which sum when raised, shall be credited to the sinking fund of said city for the purposes aforesaid. The principal realized from the issue and sale of said bonds shall be deposited in the city treasury to the credit of the public library fund for the purposes hereinbefore mentioned, and shall be applied exclusively to the purpose of acquiring sites and the construction and completion of public library buildings, and the maintenance of public libraries in the city of Detroit. The premium and accrued interest, if any, shall be credited to the sinking fund.

Referendum.

This act shall not take effect until a majority of the qualified electors of the city of Detroit voting at any general or special election to be held in said city, after the passage of this act, on the question of the approval of this act, shall so determine, and the common council of said city is hereby authorized and required to give notice of submitting the question of the approval of this act to the qualified electors in said city, by giving due notice thereof, causing the date, place of voting, and object of said election to be stated in a printed or written notice and posted in six public places in each voting precinct in said city, not less than six days before said election, and publishing the same in one or more of the daily papers published in said city for three days prior to the said election; and it is hereby made the duty of said common council to cause said question to be duly submitted and to do any and all other legal acts which may be necessary for the proper and legal submission thereof. Said proposition shall be submitted in the following manner: The same being printed on the official ballots for said election or upon special ballots if so ordered by the common council. The wording wherein such proposition shall be submitted shall be as follows:

Ballot, form

"Vote on proposition to approve a special act of the Legislature of nineteen hundred fifteen, authorizing the common council of the city of Detroit to borrow money for the purpose of acquiring lands, and constructing library building or buildings thereon, and the completion and maintenance thereof:

[] To approve the act—Yes.
[] To approve the act—No."

Canvass and returns.

The election shall be conducted and the votes canvassed and returns made in all respects as the aforesaid election held in said city is by law required to be conducted, and immediately upon the conclusion of such canvass, the board of canvassers shall make and sign certificates showing the whole number of votes cast upon such proposition, and the number for and against the same respectively; such city canvassers shall endorse upon the certificates, and declare in writing

the result of each election; such certificate and declaration shall then be filed with the city clerk, and entered and attached upon the records of said city, and a copy of said certicate and declaration, certified to by the city clerk, shall be filed by him with the controller of said city.

This act is ordered to take immediate effect.

Approved March 16, 1915.

[No. 316.]

AN ACT to repeal act number three hundred thirty-four of the Session Laws of eighteen hundred sixty-nine, entitled "An act for the protection of fish in the lakes known as Devil's lake and Round lake, in Lenawee county, Whitmore lake, Washtenaw county, and Brace lake, Calhoun county," as amended by act number one hundred sixty-nine of the Local Acts* of eighteen hundred eighty-nine.

The People of the State of Michigan enact:

Section 1. Act number three hundred thirty-four of the act repealed. Session Laws of eighteen hundred sixty-nine, entitled "An act for the protection of fish in the lakes known as Devil's lake and Round lake, in Lenawee county, Whitmore lake, Washtenaw county, and Brace lake, Calhoun county," as amended by act number one hundred sixty-nine of the Local Acts of eighteen hundred eighty-nine, is hereby repealed.

SEC. 2. At the election to be held on the first Monday in Referendum. April, nineteen hundred sixteen, there shall be submitted to the electors of Northfield township, Washtenaw county, and Rollin and Woodstock townships, Lenawee county, the question of the repealing of said act. All votes on the question shall be taken, counted and canvassed in the same manner as votes cast for candidates voted for at said election in said counties. The vote upon the proposition of repealing said act shall be by ballot which shall be in substantially the following form:

"Vote on proposition of repealing act number three hun Ballot, dred thirty-four of the Session Laws of eighteen hundred form of sixty-nine, prohibiting the taking of fish with nets and spears in Devil's lake and Round lake, Lenawee county, and Whitmore lake, Washtenaw county.

Make a cross in the appropriate square below.

To repeal said act number three hundred thirty-four of the Session Laws of eighteen hundred sixty-nine—Yes [].

To repeal said act number three hundred thirty-four of the Session Laws of eighteen hundred sixty-nine—No []."

^{*}Act 169, P. A. of 1889.

Who to furnish.

Such ballots shall be furnished by the county boards of election commissioners of said counties and shall be deposited in ballot boxes provided for that purpose. The result of said vote shall be certified to the board of supervisors of each of the said counties and to the Secretary of State. If a majority of the electors voting upon such proposition shall vote in favor of the repeal of said act number three hundred thirty-four of the Session Laws of eighteen hundred sixtynine, as amended, then this act shall be in full force and effect and not otherwise.

Became a law without the Governor's approval.

[No. 317.]

AN ACT to repeal act number six hundred twelve of the Local Acts of nineteen hundred five, entitled "An act to provide for the locating and establishing of drains within the county of Ionia," approved June seven, nineteen hundred five.

The People of the State of Michigan enact:

Act repealed.

SECTION 1. Act number six hundred twelve of the Local Acts of nineteen hundred five, entitled "An act to provide for the locating and establishing of drains within the county of Ionia," approved June seven, nineteen hundred five, is hereby repealed.

Referendum.

SEC. 2. At the election to be held on the first Monday in April, in the year nineteen hundred sixteen, the question of the repeal of said act number six hundred twelve of the Local Acts of nineteen hundred five, shall be submitted to the electors of Ionia county. The vote upon such question shall be by ballot, which shall be substantially in the following form:

Ballots, form of.

"Vote on question of repealing act relating to drains in Ionia county:

Make a cross in the appropriate square below:

To repeal the act relating to drains in Ionia county—
Yes []

To repeal the act relating to drains in Ionia county—No []"

Ballots, who to furnish.

Such ballots shall be furnished by the board of election commissioners for the county of Ionia and deposited in a box provided for that purpose, and such ballots shall be cast, canvassed and the result certified in the same manner as is provided by law respecting ballots cast for the election of county officers. If a majority of the electors voting upon such proposition shall vote to repeal said act, then the pro-

visions of this act shall be in full force and effect and not otherwise.

Approved April 9, 1915.

[No. 318.]

AN ACT authorizing the township of White Lake in Oakland county to borrow money to pay certain indebtedness to Charles Skarritt, treasurer of the township of White Lake; and to provide funds for the fiscal year nineteen hundred fifteen, and to tax said township to repay said loan.

The People of the State of Michigan enact:

SECTION 1. The township board of the township of White Reimburse-Lake in Oakland county is hereby authorized and empowered authorized. to borrow in the year nineteen hundred fifteen a sum or sums of money not to exceed twelve hundred dollars on the credit of said township for the purpose of paying to Charles Skarritt, treasurer of the township of White Lake, a sum of money amounting to eleven hundred thirteen dollars and forty-two cents, which money was lawfully deposited by said Charles Skarritt in the E. Jossman State Bank of Clarkston, to the credit of Charles Skarritt as treasurer of White Lake township, and which money was the property of said township and of certain school districts therein, and which money was lost through the failure and insolvency of the said E. Jossman State Bank of Clarkston, without fault on the part of the said Charles Skarritt, and which money Charles Skarritt has replaced in full out of his own money and personal property, said payment to be made to the said Charles Skarritt in order to reimburse him for the moneys by him so advanced.

For the purpose of providing funds to repay the To levy tax. loans made under the authority of this act, the township board of said township shall at its annual meetings levy a sufficient tax, in addition to other taxes now authorized by law, upon the real and personal property subject to taxation in such township, to pay the interest on said loan or loans as the same shall become due and to create a sinking Sinking fund. fund for the payment of the principal sum or sums so borrowed, at the maturity thereof, and such taxes shall be collected as other taxes are collected, and when collected shall be applied to the payment of such installments of interest, and to the principal sum or sums so borrowed, as the same shall become due, and to no other purpose: Provided, how Proviso. ever, That said township board shall not in any one year levy a tax of more than one-half of the total sum or sums so borrowed.

Referendum.

SEC. 3. It shall be the duty of said township board, within sixty days after this act becomes effective, to call a special election of the qualified electors of said township to be held in said township, at which election the question of the adoption of this act shall be submitted to said electors. The vote on this proposition shall be by ballot, which shall be substantially in the following form:

Ballot, form of.

"Vote on proposition to adopt act number of the Local Acts of nineteen hundred fifteen, relative to authorizing the township of White Lake to borrow money to pay certain indebtedness to Charles Skarritt, treasurer of White Lake township, which money was lawfully deposited by him in the E. Jossman State Bank of Clarkston, and which money was lost through the failure and insolvency of the E. Jossman State Bank of Clarkston and which money Charles Skarritt has repaid out of his own moneys and personal property. Make a cross in the appropriate square below:

- [] To adopt said act—Yes.
- To adopt said act—No."

Such ballot shall be furnished in the same manner as in other township elections, and said election shall be conducted in the same manner, and the ballots cast, canvassed, and the result thereof certified to in the same manner as is provided by law respecting ballots cast for the election of township officers. If a majority of the electors voting upon such proposition shall vote in favor thereof, such proposition shall be in full force and effect, and not otherwise.

Approved May 6, 1915.

[No. 319.]

AN ACT to repeal act number four hundred sixty-one of the Local Acts of nineteen hundred seven, entitled "An act authorizing and requiring the board of supervisors of Gratiot county to designate a local bank or banks as the depository or depositories of Gratiot county moneys, and prescribing the duties of certain officers relating thereto."

The People of the State of Michigan enact:

Act repealed.

Section 1. Act number four hundred sixty-one of the Local Acts of nineteen hundred seven, entitled "An act authorizing and requiring the board of supervisors of Gratiot county to designate a local bank or banks as the depository or depositories of Gratiot county moneys, and prescribing the duties of certain officers relating thereto," is hereby repealed.

- SEC. 2. This act shall not become operative until it has Referendum. been submitted to a vote of the electors of the county of Gratiot as herein provided, and then shall not become operative unless a majority of the electors of said county voting thereon shall vote in favor of its adoption at the election to be held in the county of Gratiot on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, nineteen hundred sixteen. There shall be submitted to the electors of the county of Gratiot the question of whether the provisions of this act shall become operative. The vote on the question shall be taken and counted and canvassed in the same manner as the votes cast for candidates voted for at the said election in said county of Gratiot.
- SEC. 3. The vote upon the proposition to repeal said act Form of shall be by ballot which shall be substantially in the follow-ballot. ing form:

"Vote on proposition to repeal act number four hundred sixty-one of the Local Acts of nineteen hundred seven, relative to authorizing and requiring the board of supervisors of Gratiot county to designate a local bank or banks as the depository or depositories of Gratiot county moneys.

Make a cross in the appropriate square below:

- [] To repeal act relative to the authorizing and requiring of the board of supervisors of Gratiot county to designate a local bank or banks as a depository or depositories of Gratiot county moneys. Yes.
- [] To repeal act relative to the authorizing and requiring of the board of supervisors of Gratiot county to designate a local bank or banks as a depository or depositories of Gratiot county moneys. No."

Ballots shall be furnished by the county board of election who to commissioners of Gratiot county and shall be deposited in a ballot box provided for that purpose. The result of said vote shall be certified to the board of supervisors and to the Secretary of State. If a majority of the electors voting upon said proposition shall vote in favor of the repeal of said act number four hundred sixty-one of the Local Acts of nineteen hundred seven then this act shall be of full force and effect and not otherwise.

Approved May 6, 1915.

[No. 320.]

AN ACT to authorize the board of supervisors of Bay county to levy a tax to pay outstanding indebtedness of Northeastern Michigan Fair Association.

The People of the State of Michigan enact:

Outstanding indebtedness.

Section 1. The board of supervisors of Bay county shall have the authority at either the annual session of said board held in October, nineteen hundred fifteen, or at the annual session of said board held in October, nineteen hundred sixteen, to levy a tax and apportion the same upon the taxable property of Bay county sufficient to pay the outstanding indebtedness of Northeastern Michigan Fair Association. The amount of which indebtedness shall be determined in the manner hereinafter stated: Provided, That said tax levy shall not exceed the sum of twenty-one thousand fifty dollars. The amount so levied and apportioned and raised shall be collected in the same manner as is provided by law for the collection of taxes levied for county purposes, and shall be kept by the county treasurer in a fund to be known as the Northeastern Michigan Fair Association fund, and shall be expended for the purposes and in the manner hereinafter provided.

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Persons holding unpaid claims.

Sec. 2. All persons holding unpaid claims against Northeastern Michigan Fair Association contracted by said Northeastern Michigan Fair Association in connection with the conduct of district fairs during the years nineteen hundred thirteen and nineteen hundred fourteen, shall, on or before the first day of June, nineteen hundred fifteen, present to the board of county auditors of Bay county a statement of such claim, duly verified, showing the amount and nature of such claim without interest thereon. Said board of county auditors shall meet, verify and audit the said claims, and all books, records and proceedings of said Northeastern Michigan Fair Association, and shall certify to the correctness of all just claims, and said board of county auditors on or before the first day of June, nineteen hundred fifteen, session of the board of supervisors of Bay county, shall present to the said board of supervisors the certificate of said board of county auditors showing an itemized list and the total amount of all claims allowed as herein provided by said board of county auditors: Provided, That before the board of supervisors shall levy said tax as in this act provided, and before this act shall take effect, said board of supervisors shall submit to the vote of the qualified electors of Bay county the question of levying such tax, specifying the amount to be raised, determined as herein provided, and said tax levy shall not be made unless a majority of the electors voting on such question shall have voted in favor of

Proviso.

the same. Said board of supervisors may order said ques Referendum tion to be submitted at the next general election, or at a special election called for that purpose. In case of a special election, notice thereof shall be given in the same manner and for the same length of time as is now provided by law and the manner of stating the question upon the ballots shall be determined by resolution of the board of supervisors.

SEC. 3. After the tax shall have been collected by the Money, how county treasurer, the county treasurer shall expend the said fund in payment of claims audited, allowed and certified by the said board of county auditors in the manner hereinbefore described, and shall pay the said claims and take receipts for said payment in the same manner as other claims are paid from the general fund of Bay county.

Approved May 11, 1915.

[No. 321.]

AN ACT to repeal act number four hundred three of the Local Acts of eighteen hundred ninety-seven, entitled "An act to provide for the payment of fees to the county of Bay and the clerk thereof in suits and proceedings in the circuit court for said county," approved April twenty-two, eighteen hundred ninety-seven.

The People of the State of Michigan enact:

SECTION 1. That act number four hundred three of the Act repealed. Local Acts of eighteen hundred ninety-seven, entitled "An act to provide for the payment of fees to the county of Bay and the clerk thereof in suits and proceedings in the circuit court for said county," approved April twenty-two, eighteen hundred ninety-seven, is hereby repealed.

SEC. 2. At the election to be held on the first Monday Referendum. in April, in the year nineteen hundred sixteen, there shall be submitted to the electors of Bay county the question of the repeal of said act.

All votes on the question shall be taken, counted and can-Canvass. vassed in the same manner as votes cast for candidates at said election in said county. The vote upon the proposition of repealing said act shall be by ballot which shall be in substantially the following form:

"Vote on proposition to repeal act number four hundred Ballot, three, of the Local Acts of eighteen hundred ninety-seven, form of provided for the payment of fees in suits and proceedings in the circuit court.

Make a cross in the appropriate square below.

To repeal act number four hundred three, of the Local Acts of eighteen hundred ninety-seven—Yes [].

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Who to furnish.

To repeal act number four hundred three, of the Local Acts of eighteen hundred ninety-seven—No. []."

Acts of eighteen hundred ninety-seven—No. []."
Such ballots shall be furnished by the county board of election commissioners of said county and shall be deposited in ballot boxes provided for that purpose. The result of said vote shall be certified to the board of supervisors of said county and to the Secretary of State. If a majority of the electors voting upon such proposition shall vote in favor of the repeal of said act number four hundred three of the Local Acts of eighteen hundred ninety-seven, then this act shall be in full force and effect and not otherwise.

Approved May 17, 1915.

[No. 322.]

AN ACT to amend section thirteen of an act entitled "An act relative to free schools in the city of Detroit," approved February twenty-four, eighteen hundred sixty-nine, as amended, being act number two hundred thirty-three of the Session Laws of Michigan of eighteen hundred sixty-nine, as amended.

The People of the State of Michigan enact:

Section amended.

SECTION 1. Section thirteen of an act entitled "An act relative to free schools in the city of Detroit," approved February twenty-four, eighteen hundred sixty-nine, as amended, being act number two hundred thirty-three of the Session Laws of Michigan of eighteen hundred sixty-nine as amended, is amended so as to read as follows:

Annual estimates.

SEC. 13. It shall be the duty of the board of education to transmit to the common council through the city controller, on or before the first day of February in each year, or at such other time as the common council may by ordinance prescribe for the submission of annual estimates, an estimate of the amount of money which said board may deem necessary for the proper maintenance of the public schools of the city during the fiscal year next ensuing, which estimate shall, so far as practicable, be made in detail, specifying the amounts required for salaries of teachers and other employes of the board, repairs, fuel, supplies and general current expenses, all of which estimates shall be classified as the "maintenance fund." The said board shall, at the same time, transmit such estimates as it shall deem necessary for the purchase of lots, the erection and remodeling of school buildings, together with the necessary fixtures and furniture therefor and for other improvements to school buildings and grounds, which estimates shall state in detail the purpose for which appropriations are desired, all of which estimates shall

Maintenance fund.

be classified as the "building fund." So much of said esti-Building mates as the common council and board of estimates of the fund. city of Detroit shall approve shall be levied and collected the same as other city taxes; and it shall be unlawful for Unlawful to said board of education to pay out or agree to pay out any pay out. moneys for any item or items disallowed by said common council or board of estimates: Provided, however, That the Proviso. amount so approved for the maintenance fund shall not be less than the sum of five dollars for every child in the city between the age of five and twenty years, as the number thereof may have been ascertained by the last school census: Provided further, That the common council, with the con-Further sent of the board of estimates, may cause the whole or any proviso. part of the appropriation for the purchase of lots and the erection of school buildings to be made by issue of bonds in lieu of raising the same by taxation; said bonds shall be issued in the name of the city of Detroit in the same manner as are other city bonds, shall be for a period of not more than thirty years, and shall bear interest at a rate not exceeding six per cent per annum. Moneys shall not be trans-Moneys not ferred from either the maintenance fund or building fund ferred. to the other fund or used for the purpose thereof.

Approved May 17, 1915.

[No. 323.]

AN ACT to authorize the common council of the city of Detroit to borrow money for the purpose of completing the erection of and equipping the new main library building in the city of Detroit.

The People of the State of Michigan enact:

SECTION 1. The common council of the city of Detroit is Bond issue hereby authorized to borrow for the purpose of completing limit. the erection of and equipping the new main library building in the city of Detroit, a sum of money not to exceed the sum of seven hundred fifty thousand dollars on the faith and credit of said city, and upon the best terms that can be made, and to issue bonds of said city to an amount not exceeding said sum, pledging the faith and credit of said city for the payment of the principal and interest, but said bonds shall not be negotiated at less than their par value. Said bonds shall be denominated "Public library bonds of the city of Detroit" and shall be regularly dated and numbered in the order of their issue and shall be for the sums of not less than one hundred dollars each, and shall bear interest not exceeding five per centum per annum and shall be payable

How issued.

Record, how kept.

in thirty years from their date. They shall be issued under the seal of said city, signed by the mayor countersigned controller. The and by the shall keep an accurate record of said bonds, showing the class of indebtedness to which they belong, the number, date and amount of each bond; its rate of interest, when and where the same is payable and the person to whom it is issued or any transferee thereof. No bonds shall be issued under this act until the issue of the same shall have been authorized and approved by the board of estimates of the city of Detroit.

Sinking fund.

SEC. 2. In order to provide a sinking fund for the redemption of the bonds provided for in the preceding section, the common council shall have power, and it shall be its duty, to raise by taxation in each year, upon the property assessed for city purposes, within said city, a sum equal to two and one-half per centum of the amount of said bonds issued under the provisions of this act, which sum when raised shall be credited to the sinking fund of said city for the purposes aforesaid. The principal realized from the issue and sale of said bonds shall be deposited in the city treasury to the credit of the public library fund for the purposes hereinbefore mentioned, and shall be applied exclusively to the purpose of completing the erection and equipping the new main library building in the city of Detroit. The premium and accrued interest, if any, shall be credited to the sinking fund of said city.

Referendum.

SEC. 3. This act shall not take effect until a majority of the qualified electors of the city of Detroit voting on the question of the approval of this act, at any general or special election to be held in said city, shall so determine, and the common council of said city is hereby authorized and required to give notice of submitting the question of the approval of this act to the qualified electors of said city, by giving due notice thereof, causing the date, place of voting and object of said election to be stated in a printed or written notice and posted in six public places in each voting precinct in said city, not less than six days before said election, and publishing the same in one or more of the daily papers published in said city for three days prior to the said election; and it is hereby made the duty of said common council to cause said question to be duly submitted and to do any and all other acts which may be necessary for the proper and legal submission thereof. Said proposition shall be submitted in the following manner, the same being printed on the official ballots for said election or upon special ballots if so ordered by said common council. The wording wherein such proposition shall be submitted shall be as follows:

Ballot, form of.

"Vote on proposition to approve a special act of the Legislature of nineteen hundred fifteen, authorizing the common

council of the city of Detroit, upon the approval of the board of estimates, to borrow not to exceed seven hundred fifty thousand dollars for the purpose of completing the erection of and equipping the new main library building in the city of Detroit.

To approve the act—Yes. To approve the act—No."

The election shall be conducted and the votes canvassed Canvass and and returns made in all respects as the aforesaid election held in said city is by law required to be conducted, and immediately upon the conclusion of such canvass, the board of canvassers shall make and sign certificates showing the whole number of votes cast upon said proposition and the number for and against the same, respectively; said board of canvassers shall endorse upon the certificates, and declare in writing the result of said election; such certificate and declaration shall then be filed with the city clerk of said city and entered and attached upon the records of said city and a copy of said certificate and declaration, certified to by the city clerk, shall be filed by him with the controller of said city.

Approved May 18, 1915.

[No. 324.]

AN ACT to amend section two of an act entitled "An act relative to free schools in the city of Detroit," approved February twenty-four, eighteen hundred sixty-nine, being act number two hundred thirty-three of the Session Laws of Michigan of eighteen hundred sixty-nine as amended, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith, excepting as herein otherwise expressly provided.

The People of the State of Michigan enact:

Section 1. Section two of an act entitled "An act rela-Section tive to free schools in the city of Detroit," approved February twenty-four, eighteen hundred sixty-nine, being act number two hundred thirty-three of the Session Laws of Michigan of eighteen hundred sixty-nine as amended, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

SEC. 2. The board of education of the city of Detroit shall Board of consist of twenty-one inspectors, to be elected one from and whom to by each ward in said city as the same is divided into wards consist. by an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June seven, eighteen hundred eightythree, as amended, being act number three hundred twentysix of the Local Acts of Michigan of eighteen hundred eightythree, as amended, and as last amended by an act entitled

Term of office. tively. Each inspector shall be elected for four years begin-

"A bill to amend section four of chapter one of an act entitled 'An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith. approved June seven, eighteen hundred eighty-three, as amended," submitted to and approved by the electors of the city of Detroit on November three, nineteen hundred fourteen, in effect November fourteen, nineteen hundred fourteen.

Said inspector shall be elected at the spring election held every alternate year when judges of the supreme court are now required to be elected. At the spring election of the year nineteen hundred seventeen, one inspector shall be elected from the ninth, tenth, eleventh, twelfth, thirteenth, fourteenth, fifteenth, sixteenth, seventeenth, eighteenth, nineteenth and twenty-first wards, respectively; and at the spring election of the year nineteen hundred nineteen, one inspector shall be elected from the first, second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh, eighth, eighteenth and twentieth wards respec-

ning July first following his election, excepting that the in-

Inspector, when elected.

Inspector.

when appointed.

spector elected in the eighteenth ward at the spring election of nineteen hundred seventeen, shall be elected for a term ending July one, nineteen hundred nineteen, and shall take office immediately after his said election. After the election of said inspectors, at the times above provided, their successors shall thereafter be elected for a like term of four years at each spring election next immediately preceding the expiration of their respective terms. Votes cast at elections for said inspectors shall be deposited in separate ballot boxes from those used in electing other officers, but said elections shall otherwise be held and the votes canvassed in the manner provided by the laws governing city elections. On the taking effect of this act, the common council of said city, on the nomination of the mayor thereof, may appoint an inspector from said eighteenth, nineteenth and twenty-first wards respectively, to hold office until his successor is elected as herein provided, and enters upon the duties of his office. The inspector heretofore elected from the territory inclusive of the said seventeenth, nineteenth and twenty-first wards, is hereby assigned to and shall continue as the inspector for said seventeenth ward in which he resided at the time of his said election, for the full term; and the inspector heretofore elected from the territory inclusive of the said eighteenth and twentieth wards is hereby assigned to and shall continue as the inspector for said twentieth ward in which he resided at the time of his said election, for the full term. All inspectors heretofore elected from the other wards shall continue as inspectors for their respective wards, as the same are now divided, and excepting as herein otherwise expressly provided. said board of education shall continue as now provided by No person holding an office or employment with said city or any of its boards or commissions, or with the county of Wayne, or the State of Michigan, or the United States,

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shall be eligible to election or appointment as an inspector, and if any inspector accept such office or employment after his election or appointment, he shall be deemed to have thereby resigned and vacated his office as an inspector: Provided. Proviso. That this shall not be construed to preclude the re-election of an inspector: Provided, however, That nothing shall be Further proconstrued as repealing or amending an act entitled "An act viso. to provide for a board of education for cities having a population of two hundred fifty thousand or more, and comprising a single school district; to fix their terms of office and the manner of the nomination and election of the members thereof," approved May seven, nineteen hundred thirteen, being act number two hundred fifty-one of the Public Acts of nineteen hundred thirteen, if the same be given effect hereafter as therein provided, or as repealing or amending any act which may be passed by the Legislature of the State of Michigan during the session at which this act may contravene.

This act is ordered to take immediate effect.

Approved May 19, 1915.

[No. 325.]

AN ACT to amend section one of act number ten of the Public Acts of eighteen hundred ninety-five, entitled "An act to establish a board of health for the city of Detroit," to provide for the appointment of the members thereof by the mayor of said city.

The People of the State of Michigan enact:

SECTION 1. Section one of act number ten of the Public Section Acts of eighteen hundred innety-five, entitled "An act to establish a board of health for the city of Detroit," is hereby amended to read as follows:

SEC. 1. The board of health of the city of Detroit, from Number of and after the first day of March, eighteen hundred ninety-members. five, shall consist of four members who shall be electors and freeholders in the city of Detroit and who shall be appointed by the mayor of said city. They shall take and file with the city clerk the constitutional oath of office. Two of them and Qualification. no more shall be graduates in medicine of at least five years' practice in the city of Detroit. On or before the first day of March, eighteen hundred ninety-five, or as soon thereafter as may be, one member of the said board shall be appointed to hold office one year, one member to hold office two years, one member to hold office for three years and one member to hold office for four years and until their successors are appointed and qualified. The term of office of each member of the board, Term of office. after the termination of the aforesaid terms shall be four years, and on the expiration of any term a new appointment

shall be filled by appointment of the mayor, and the member Proviso.

so appointed shall hold office until his successor shall be appointed in the manner aforesaid: Provided, That the provisions of this act shall not be construed to affect the term or terms of any member or members of the board of health of the city of Detroit, as the same is now constituted.

shall be made in the same manner as above prescribed. Any vacancy occurring by reason of the expiration of any term, and any vacancy occurring during the term of any member,

This act is ordered to take immediate effect.

Became a law May 19, 1915, the objections of the Governor to the contrary not-withstanding.

CERTIFICATE.

MICHIGAN
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
LANSING.

I, Coleman C. Vaughan, Secretary of State of the State of Michigan, do hereby certify that the date of the final adjournment of the Legislature of one thousand nine hundred fifteen was on the twenty-fifth day of May, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred fifteen.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereto affixed my signature and the great seal of the State, at Lansing, this eleventh day of June, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred fifteen.

COLEMAN C. VAUGHAN, Secretary of State.

APPENDIX

CONTAINING

Certified Statements of Boards of Supervisors

RELATIVE TO THE

ERECTION AND CHANGE OF BOUNDARIES OF TOWNSHIPS

AND

PROCEEDINGS RELATIVE TO THE INCORPORATION, ETC., OF CITIES AND VILLAGES

TOWNSHIPS.

ANTRIM COUNTY.

In the matter of the application of certain freeholders of the townships of Helena and Forest Home, in the county of Antrim, to have certain territory detached from the township of Helena and attached to the township of Forest Home.

January 6, 1915.

At an adjourned meeting of the board of supervisors of the county of Antrim, held at the court house in the village of Bellaire, Antrim county, Michigan, on the 6th day of January, 1915, A. B. Large offered the following resolution:

Upon reading and filing the application of G. S. Berg and thirty-four other freeholders of the townships of Helena and Forest Home, to alter the bounds of said townships, and having been furnished with a map showing the proposed alterations of the townships to be affected, in accordance with the provisions of law, be it

Resolved, By this board that said application be granted and that the bounds of the townships of Helena and Forest Home be and the same are hereby altered and established as follows: All that part of the township of Helena township twenty-nine (29) north of range eight (8) west, Antrim county, Michigan, which lies north of Clam lake, viz.: all of sections one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), eleven (11) and twelve (12), lying and being north of said Clam lake, be detached from said township of Helena, and added to said township of Forest Home.

Resolution carried by yea and nay vote as follows: Yeas: Alfred Savage, Henry W. Sloat, John M. Hawley, J. Eugene Hill, Sam B. Owen, Frank M. Severance, Alpha B. Large, John H. Ziegler, Dwight Arnold and George Colter—10. Nays: Herbert Peebles, Orson B. Orcutt, Frank Hawley, Fred D. Jones and Harry Warner—5.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, Solution County of Antrim.

I, James Deevy, county clerk, and clerk of the board of supervisors in and for said county, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing copy of petition of G. S. Berg and thirty-four others, praying for a change in the boundary line between Forest Home and Helena townships, and resolution No. 9 by A. B. Large, with the original thereof now remaining in the office of the county clerk of said county, and have found the same to be a correct transcript therefrom.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said court at Bellaire, Michigan, this 13th day of January, A. D. 1915.

JAMES DEEVY,

County Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Antrim County, Michigan.

CHIPPEWA COUNTY.

In the matter of the application of certain freeholders of the townships of Superior and Bay Mills, in the county of Chippewa, for detaching a portion of territory from the township of Superior and attaching same to the township of Bay Mills.

March 6, 1915.

WHEREAS, There has been filed with the clerk of this board a petition, signed by twelve freeholders of the township of Superior, and a petition, signed by fourteen freeholders of the township of Bay Mills requesting this board of supervisors to alter the boundary of said township of Superior as follows, to-wit: That town forty-seven (47) north, range three (3) west; town forty-seven (47) north, range four (4) west; town forty-seven (47) north, range five west, which lands are now belonging to the township of Superior, be detached from said township of Superior, and that said described lands be attached to the township of Bay Mills in said county of Chippewa. An examination of the files in the case shows the petition to be in proper form and signed by the required number of freeholders. We find that the petition is accompanied by a plat of the territory proposed to be affected as required by law, and also find the same is accompanied by the requisite and necessary legal proofs of posting and publication of the notice of the application under said petition, said notice setting up the fact that said petition and application would be presented to the board of

supervisors of Chippewa county at their meeting to be held on the 4th day of March, A. D. 1915.

We therefore find that all of the requirements of the law have been made and respectfully recommend that the prayer of the petitioners be granted and that said hereinbefore described lands be detached from the township of Superior in said county and attached to and made a part of the township of Bay Mills in said county.

Respectfully submitted.
S. KENDRICK,
A. J. EATON,
SAM McMULLEN,
ALFRED PARE,
J. H. SMART,

Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Whereas, An application has been made to the board of supervisors of the county of Chippewa by C. R. Ladd and others, freeholders of the townships of Superior and Bay Mills, twelve of whom reside in each of the townships to be affected thereby for the division of said townships and the setting off of the territory hereinafter described; and said board having been furnished with a map of the townships to be affected thereby, and it appearing to said board by due proof that notice in writing of such intended application signed by at least twelve freeholders of the townships to be affected thereby, has been duly posted up and published in the manner and for the time required by law, and it also appearing to said board upon consideration thereof that said application ought to be granted, therefore

It is ordered and determined, By the board that the territory described as follows, to-wit: Township forty-seven (47) north, range three (3) west; township forty-seven (47) north, range four (4) west, and township forty-seven (47) north, range five (5) west, be and the same hereby is detached from the township of Superior, and that said above described territory be and the same hereby is attached and added to the township of Bay Mills.*

Carried as follows: Yeas, 18; nays, none.

JOHN F. GOÉTZ, Chairman.

HERBERT L. PARSILLE,

Clerk.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss. County of Chippewa.

I, Herbert L. Parsille, clerk of said county of Chippewa and clerk of the board of supervisors in and for said county, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing copy of the proceedings of the board of supervisors showing the action of said board, relative to the detaching of certain territory from the township of Superior and attaching said territory to the township of Bay Mills, with the original record thereof, now remaining in my office, and that it is a true and

correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole of such original record. IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal of said court and county, this second SEAL day of April, A. D. 1915.

HERBERT L. PARSILLE,

Clerk.

LAKE COUNTY.

In the matter of the organization of the township of Sauble.

Whereas, Application of twenty-six freeholders of the township of Elk, Lake county, Michigan, has been duly filed praying that the board of supervisors of Lake county, Michigan, alter and divide the township of Elk in said county and erect and organize a new township out of the south half (1/2) of the territory of said township, known as township nineteen (19) north of range fourteen (14) west, to be called Sauble township, and leaving the north half (1/2) of said township, known as township twenty (20) north of range fourteen (14) west, to be and remain the township of Elk, and

WHEREAS, A map of the township to be affected by the division showing the proposed alterations has been furnished and is now on file; and

WHEREAS, All other conditions required by act 36, laws of 1909, as amended by act 96, laws of 1911, have been complied with; and

WHEREAS, It appears from said applications and maps furnished conclusively showing that Elk township is the only township to be af-

fected by such division and alterations; therefore be it

Resolved, That the township of Elk be divided and that the north range of said township, known as township twenty (20) north of range fourteen (14) west, be and remain Elk township, Lake county, Michigan, and that a new township to be known as the township of Sauble, be erected and organized out of the south range of said township known as township nineteen (19) north of range fourteen (14) west.

ROBERT L. FUCHS. S. A. JOHNSON, CHAS. A. PLATO.

Moved by Supervisor Blood and supported that the report be accepted,

adopted and filed. Carried by a unanimous vote.

Moved by Supervisor Dougall and supported that Wm. Seaman, Ira Ingraham and Edward Bartlett be appointed inspectors of the new township of Sauble, whose duty it shall be to preside at such meeting, appoint a clerk, open and keep the polls and exercise the same power as the inspector of election at any township meeting and that the first Monday in April, 1914, be designated as the day to hold such first meeting and that the store building known as Charles Ross' Store be designated as the place of holding said first meeting; also the school-

house known as the Seaman Schoolhouse, where meetings have heretofore been held, be designated as the place of holding of said first meeting in Elk township. Carried.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, Secondary of Lake.

I, Harley Bartlett, clerk of the circuit court for said county do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and compared copy of an original copy now on record in the office of the clerk of said county and court and the whole of such original record.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said court, at the village of Baldwin, this 17th day of November, A. D. 1913.

HARLEY BARTLETT, County Clerk.

MISSAUKEE COUNTY.

In the matter of the application of certain freeholders for the erection and organization of a new township to be known as the township of Holland.

Whereas. An application has been duly made to the board of supervisors of the county of Missaukee by Dick W. Modders and seventy others, all of whom are freeholders and at least twelve of whom are freeholders in each one-half of the township to be affected thereby, for the erection and organization into a new township of the territory hereinafter described; and the said board having been furnished with a map of the township to be affected thereby; and it appearing to said board by due proof that notice in writing of such intended application, signed by at least twelve freeholders of each one-half of the township to be thereby affected, has been duly posted up and posted in the manner and during the time required by law, and it also appearing that said notice has been published in a newspaper during the time and in the manner required by law, and it further appearing to said board upon consideration thereof, that the said application ought to be granted, thereupon

It is ordered and determined, By the said board, on January 9, 1914, that the territory described as follows, to-wit: All that portion of said township of Clam Union, known and designated as town twenty-one (21) north of range five (5) west, Missaukee county, Michigan, be, and the same is hereby erected and organized into a new township to be called and known as the township of Holland. That the first annual township meeting therein shall be held at the Moddersville schoolhouse on Monday, the sixth day of April, next, and Henry B. Leutzinger, Sanford P. Low and Alvin Buttermore, three electors of such town-

ship, are hereby designated as the persons whose duty it shall be to preside at such meeting, appoint a clerk, open the polls, and to exercise the same powers as the inspectors of any township meeting may exercise under the laws of this State.

Adopted by yeas and nays, a majority of all the members elected voting therefor, to-wit: Yeas, eleven (11); Nays, four (4).

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Missaukee.

I, Blair F. Scott, clerk of the county of Missaukee, and clerk of the circuit court for said county, the same being a court of record and having a seal do hereby certify that I have compared the annexed copy of record of the organization of Holland township, with the original record thereof now remaining in my office and have found the said copy to be and that the same is a true and correct transcript therefrom and of the whole of such original record.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said court, at Lake City, Michigan, this 21st day of January, A. D. 1914.

BLAIR F. SCOTT,

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OGEMAW COUNTY.

In the matter of the organization of the township of Mills.

West Branch, Michigan, Jan. 7, 1914.

The board of supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

Roll called: Quorum present.

The following resolution was presented to the board:

West Branch, Michigan, Jan. 7, 1914.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of the county of Ogemaw, State of Michigan:

Gentlemen: Your standing committee on the organization of town-ships, make the following report:

Upon examining the petition laid before the supervisors at the present session, praying that the following described territory, to-wit: Section one (1) to section thirty-six (36) inclusive, in town twenty-one (21) north, range three (3) east, in said county and State, may be detached from said township of Richland and to be called the township of Mills.

We find that the necessary notices and publication of notices and the necessary signatures provided by law was fully complied with, we, your standing committee on organization of townships, recommend that the prayer of said petition be granted and the board of supervisors elect the election inspectors to carry on the first election to be held on the first Monday in April, 1914, at the schoolhouse on section two (2) fractional district number one (1), Richland and Churchill, in said township.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

FRANK S. SMITH, W. F. DEMOREST, CHAS. RAU, JR. H. J. MARSH, D. L. HOYT.

On motion that the foregoing resolution be accepted, adopted, ordered spread in the minutes, a call for the yea and nay vote, resulted as follows: Yeas: Supervisors Rau, Scheele, Hays, Marsh, Demorest, Chase, Hoyt, Ranney, Taber, Smith, Winter. Nays: Supervisors Black, McDonald, Hodgins, Rakestraw.

The chairman thereupon declared the report accepted and adopted.

WESLEY CHASE, Chairman.

FRANK SMITH,

Clerk.

STATE OF MICHIGAN,) ss.

County of Ogemaw.

I, Frank Smith, clerk of the county of Ogemaw, and clerk of the circuit court for said county, the same being a court of record and having a seal, do hereby certify that I have compared the annexed copy of a portion of the minutes of the journal of the board of supervisors relating to the organization of the township of Mills, with the original record thereof now remaining in my office and have found the said copy to be, and that the same is, a true and correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole of such original record.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said court at West Branch, this 17th day of February, A. D. 1914.

FRANK SMITH, Clerk.

OGEMAW COUNTY.

In the matter of the application of certain freeholders for the erection and organization of a new township to be known as the township of Ogemaw.

January 10, 1913.

At an adjourned meeting of the board of supervisors of the county

of Ogemaw, held on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1913, the following report was submitted to the board:

West Branch, Michigan, January 10, 1913.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of the County of Ogemaw, Michigan:

Gentlemen: Your standing committee on organization of townships

make the following report:

Upon examining the petition laid before the board of supervisors at the present session of the board, praying that the following described territory, to-wit: Section one (1) to section thirty-six (36) inclusive in township twenty-two (22) north, range one (1) east, in said county and State, may be detached from said township of West Branch and organized into a new township to be called the township of Ogemaw, we find that the necessary notices and publication of notices, and necessary signatures provided by law was fully complied with. We, your standing committee on organization of townships, recommend that the prayer of said petitioners be granted and the board of supervisors elect the election inspectors to carry on the first election to be held in said new township of Ogemaw, on the first Monday in April, 1913, at the Harcourt schoolhouse in said township.

> JOHN FINGER. FRANK S. SMITH, JOSEPH SCHEELE, FRANK MORRISON, EDWARD WINTER.

On motion of Supervisor Chase, supported by Supervisor Jones, the foregoing report was accepted, adopted and ordered spread on the minutes. On motion by Supervisor Ranney, supported by Supervisor Scheele, Lee Quackenbush, A. C. Smith and Jessie Robinson were elected to be the election inspectors of such first election.

FRANK SMITH,

A. S. ROSE, Chairman.

Clerk.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Ogemaw.

I, Frank Smith, clerk of the county of Ogemaw, and clerk of the circuit court for said county, the same being a court of record and having a seal, do hereby certify that I have compared the annexed copy of a portion of the journal of the board of supervisors relating to the organization of the township of Ogemaw, in the county of Ogemaw, with the original record thereof now remaining in my office, and have found

said copy to be, and that the same is, a true and correct transcript therefrom and of the whole of such original record.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said court at West Branch, this eleventh day of February, A. D. 1915.

FRANK SMITH.

Clerk.

WAYNE COUNTY.

In the matter of the application of certain freeholders for the erection and organization of a new township to be known as the township of Grosse Ile.

Whereas, At a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of said county of Wayne, held on October 12th, 1914, a petition was duly filed by W. S. Blauvelt and thirty-four other freeholders of the township of Monguagon, Wayne county, Michigan, (said township being the only one to be affected by the division thereof applied for as hereinafter set forth) applying for a division of said township into two parts, the dividing line to be the center of the channel of the westerly or American channel of the Detroit river as indicated upon a map furnished with such petition, of all said township of Monguagon to be affected by such division, and showing the proposed alterations and the erection and organization of a new township consisting of all of that portion of said township of Monguagon lying easterly of the center of said channel as indicated upon said map and including Calf island, so called, in said channel and to be known as the township of Grosse Ile.

Upon reading and filing such application the same was referred to the committee on ways and means.

On October 27, 1914, said committee on ways and means, of said board of supervisors, reported in favor of the granting of the petition aforesaid and upon motion of Supervisor John T. Thompson, the following resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Whereas, On said 12th day of October, 1914, such application was duly presented to said board of supervisors of said county of Wayne, together with said map of all of said township of Monguagon aforesaid, showing the proposed alterations, and upon further proof of the posting and publication of the notice of said petition in accordance with the provisions of law, be it

Resolved, Ordered and enacted as follows: That the township of Monguagon be and the same is hereby divided, and a new township be and the same is hereby erected in said county of Wayne, which shall be designated as the township of Grosse Ile, and shall consist of all of that portion of said township of Monguagon lying easterly of the center of the channel of the westerly or American channel or branch of the Detroit river and including Calf island, so-called, in said channel as indicated upon the map aforesaid. That the first annual township meeting in such new township of Grosse Ile shall be held at the library

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in the central school, Grosse Ile, Wayne county, Michigan, upon the 23rd day of November, 1914, and that George Thrall, Richard M. Moore and Archibald M. Alexander, who are three of the electors of such new township, be and they hereby are appointed and charged with the duty to preside at such meeting, appoint a clerk, open and keep the polls and exercise the same powers as inspectors of election at any township meeting, including the registration of electors, in said township of Grosse Ile.

That the remainder of said township of Monguagon, to-wit: All of that portion thereof lying westerly of the center of said channel, except Calf island aforesaid, shall be and constitute the township of Monguagon, and that the first township meeting of said township of Monguagon, as so constituted, shall be held at the town hall in the village of Trenton, township of Monguagon, on the first Monday in April, 1915, all of the present officers of said township, except justices of the peace, now residing in the portion thereof last above described. Yeas, 41; nays, 13.

All of the foregoing proceedings appear in the minutes of the proceedings of said board of supervisors upon the days aforesaid.

The board of supervisors of said county of Wayne, consists of sixty-one members-elect.

JOHN C. LODGE,
Chairman of the Board of Supervisors
of Wayne County, Mich.
THOMAS F. FARRELL,
County Clerk and Clerk of the said Board of
Supervisors of Wayne County, Michigan.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, county of Wayne.

I, Thomas F. Farrell, clerk of the county of Wayne and of the board of supervisors of said county, do hereby certify that the annexed is a true statement of the action of the board of supervisors of the county of Wayne, State of Michigan, taken on October 12, 1914, and October 27, 1914, with reference to the division of the township of Monguagon in said county and the erection and organization of a new township, to be known as the township of Grosse Ile and that in the annexed statement is a true and correct copy of the resolution adopted by said board of supervisors, and of the whole thereof, as the same appears in the original minutes of the proceedings of said board of supervisors in my office and that I have compared the annexed copy therewith.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the circuit court for the county of Wayne, State of Michigan, at the city of Detroit, this 4th day of November, 1914.

THOS. F. FARRELL,
County Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
of the County of Wayne.

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CITIES AND VILLAGES.

KENT COUNTY.

In the matter of the annexation of certain territory to the city of Grand Rapids.

At the general election held in said county on Monday, April 5, 1915, the following described territory was added to the city of Grand Rapids, viz.:

Commencing at the northeast corner of the northwest quarter (1/4) of section seven (7) of the township of Paris; thence south along the quarter section line running north and south through said section and known as Madison Avenue to the quarter section line running east and west through said section and known as Alger Avenue; thence west along said line to the west line of said section; thence south along the township line running north and south between the townships of Paris and Wyoming, of said county and known as Division Avenue, to the south line of section twelve (12) of the township of Wyoming; thence west along the south lines of sections twelve (12) and eleven (11) of said township of Wyoming, to a point one hundred and sixty (160) rods west of the southwest corner of said section eleven (11); thence north on the quarter section line running north and south through said section eleven (11) one hundred and sixty (160) rods to the quarter section line running east and west through said section eleven (11); thence east one hundred and sixty (160) rods along said quarter section line to the east section line of said section eleven (11), known as Clyde Park Avenue; thence north along said section line between sections eleven (11) and twelve (12) of said township of Wyoming, to the north line of said section, known as Burton Avenue; thence east along said north line of said sections eleven (11) and twelve (12) of the township of Wyoming, and section seven (7) of the township of Paris to the place of beginning. It being intended to include in said territory the northwest quarter of section seven (7) of Paris township, all of section twelve (12) and the southeast quarter of section eleven (11) of Wyoming township of said county of Kent and State of Michigan.

The question of the annexation of the above described territory to the city of Grand Rapids was submitted to the electors in the territory affected, at the general election held on Monday, April 5th, 1915, with the following result:

The whole number of votes given for and against the proposition in the district to be annexed was 355, and they were given as follows: In favor of said annexation, 190; against said annexation, 165. The whole number of votes given for and against the proposition in the districts not to be annexed was 15,437, and they were given as follows:

In favor of said annexation, 11,115; against said annexation, 4,322. Record of proceedings filed in the office of the Secretary of State, April 13, 1915.

LIVINGSTON COUNTY.

In the matter of the incorporation of the city of Howell.

Incorporated in accordance with Act No. 279, P. A. 1909.

Commencing at the southeast corner of section thirty-six (36) in township three (3) north of range four (4) east, Michigan, running thence west to the southwest corner of section thirty-five (35) in said township; thence north on the west line of said section number thirtyfive (35) and section twenty-six (26) in said township, to the west quarter post of said section twenty-six (26), thence east on the quarter line of section twenty-six (26) and section twenty-five (25) of said township to the east line of said township; thence south on the east line of said township to the place of beginning. Also commencing at a point forty-six (46) feet and eight inches in a southwest direction from the northeast corner of section number two (2) in township two (2) north of range four (4) east, Michigan, and two (2) rods west of the east line of said section; thence south parallel with the east line of said section fifteen and one-half (151/2) chains; thence west parallel with the north line of said section, two (2) chains and eighty-one (81) links; thence north parallel with the east line of said section, fifteen and one-half $(15\frac{1}{2})$ chains; thence east parallel with the north line of said section, to the place of beginning. Also commencing two (2) rods south and two (2) rods east of the northwest corner of section one (1) in township two (2) north of range four (4) east, Michigan, running thence east fifteen (15) chains and twenty (20) links to the south line of the Pere Marquette railroad depot grounds; thence southeasterly along the south line of said railroad depot grounds, to a point eighty-seven (87) rods and eight and one-half (8½) links directly east of the west line of said section one (1); thence south parallel to the west line of said section one (1), ten (10) chains and forty-one (41) links; thence west eighty-five (85) rods and eight and one-half $(8\frac{1}{2})$ links to the east line of the Pinckney road, so-called; thence north fifteen (15) chains and fifty (50) links, to the place of beginning.

The question of incorporation of said city was submitted to the electors in the territory affected, at a special election held on Monday, December 14, 1914, with the following result: Yes, 309; No. 128.

Record of proceedings filed in the office of the Secretary of State, June 29, 1915.

Copies of charter filed June 29, 1915.

WEXFORD COUNTY.

In the matter of the alteration of the corporate limits of the city of Cadillac.

At a special election held in said county, on Tuesday, June 1, 1915, the following changes were made in the corporate boundaries of the city of Cadillac:

The proposition of detaching the following described territory from the city of Cadillac and attaching the same to the township of Clam Lake,

viz.:

All that portion of government lots one (1), two (2), four (4) and five (5), in section seven (7), and government lots two (2), three (3) and four (4) in section eight (8) of township twenty-one (21) north, of range nine (9) west, lying south of and including the highway known as the boulevard running through said lots, except the long bridge which shall remain in the city of Cadillac, was carried by the following vote: Yes, 263; No, 26.

The proposition of detaching the following described territory from the township of Haring, and attaching the same to the city of Cadillac,

viz.:

The southwest quarter $(\frac{1}{4})$ of section thirty-two (32), township twenty-two (22) north, range nine (9) west, was carried by the following vote: Yes, 221; no, 50.

Record of proceedings filed in the office of the Secretary of State, June 16, 1915.

BENZIE COUNTY.

In the matter of the incorporation of the village of Honor.

Incorporated in accordance with Act No. 278, P. A. 1909, to consist of the following territory contained within the township of Homestead, county of Benzie, and State of Michigan, as follows:

The south one-half $(\frac{1}{2})$ of the south one-half $(\frac{1}{2})$ of the north-east quarter $(\frac{1}{4})$ of section eight (8) except all that piece or parcel of land lying or being south and west of the Platte river, and the south one-half $(\frac{1}{2})$ of the southwest quarter $(\frac{1}{4})$ of section nine (9) all contained in town twenty-six (26) north of range fourteen (14) west, township of Homestead, county of Benzie, Michigan.

The question of incorporation of said village was submitted to the electors in the territory affected, at a special election held on Monday, November 30, 1914, with the following result: Yes, 60; No, 29.

Record of proceedings filed in the office of the Secretary of State, December 10, 1914.

Copies of charter filed September 15, 1915.

CALHOUN COUNTY.

In the matter of the incorporation of the village of Washington Heights.

Incorporated in accordance with Act No. 278, P. A. 1909, and amendments thereto, to consist of the following territory contained within the township of Bedford, Calhoun county, State of Michigan, as follows:

Section thirty-six (36) and the east one-half $(\frac{1}{2})$ of section thirty-five (35) of the township of Bedford, county of Calhoun, State of Michigan.

The question of incorporation of said village was submitted to the electors in the territory affected, at a special election held on Monday, December 1, 1913, with the following result: Yes, 79; No. 6.

Record of proceedings filed in the office of the Secretary of State, December 10, 1913.

Copies of charter filed April 7, 1914.

CHIPPEWA COUNTY.

In the matter of the incorporation of the village of Brimley.

Incorporated in accordance with Act No. 278, P. A. 1909, as amended, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of villages, and for changing their boundaries," to consist of the following territory contained within the township of Superior, county of Chippewa, and State of Michigan, as follows:

The southwest quarter $(\frac{1}{4})$ of section four (4), of the southeast quarter $(\frac{1}{4})$ of section five (5), the northeast quarter $(\frac{1}{4})$ of section eight (8), and the northwest quarter $(\frac{1}{4})$ of section nine (9), all in township forty-six (46) north, range two (2) west, Chippewa county, Michigan.

The question of incorporation of said village was submitted to the electors in the territory affected at a special election held on Saturday, May 2, 1914, with the following result: Yes, 26; No. 22.

Record of proceedings filed in the office of the Secretary of State, May 12, 1914.

on October 18, 1915, no copies of charter filed in office of Secretary of State.

IRON COUNTY.

In the matter of the incorporation of the village of Alpha.

Incorporated in accordance with Act No. 278, P. A. 1909, to consist of the following territory contained within the township of Mastodon, Iron county, as follows:

Beginning at the northeast corner of section twelve (12), township forty-two (42) north, range thirty-three (33) west, which is the point of beginning of the land to be described; running thence south along the east boundary line of said section twelve (12) to the northeast corner of the southeast quarter (s. e. $\frac{1}{4}$) of said section twelve (12); running thence west along the north boundary line of said southeast quarter of section twelve (12), to the northeast corner of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter (n. w. 1/4 of s. e. 1/4) of said section twelve (12); running thence south to the center of the southeast quarter (s. e. 1/4) of section thirteen (13) in said township and range; running thence west to the southwest corner of the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter (n. w. 1/4 of s. w. 1/4) of said section thirteen (13); running thence north along the west boundary line of said section thirteen (13) to the northwest corner of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter (s. w. 1/4 of n. w. 1/4) of said section thirteen (13); running thence east to the northwest corner of the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter (s. e. 1/4 of n. w. 1/4) of said section thirteen (13); running thence due north, to the center of the northwest quarter (n. w. 1/4) of section twelve (12) in said township and range; running thence due east to the center of the northeast quarter (n. e. 1/4) of said section twelve (12); running thence due north to the northeast corner of the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter (n. w. ¼ of n. e. ¼) of said section twelve (12); running thence due east to the place of beginning.

The question of incorporation of said village was submitted to the electors in the territory affected, at a special election held on Friday, June 26, 1914, with the following result: Yes, 74; No, 5.

Record of proceedings filed in the office of the Secretary of State, July 14, 1914.

Copies of charter filed January 9, 1915.

MASON COUNTY.

In the matter of the incorporation of the village of Freesoil.

Incorporated in accordance with Act No. 278, P. A. 1909, to consist of the following territory contained within the township of Freesoil, Mason county, as follows:

Commencing at the quarter $(\frac{1}{4})$ post on section line between sections twenty-seven (27) and twenty-eight (28) running thence north one hundred and twenty-two (122) rods, thence west ten (10) rods, thence north forty-three (43) rods, ten and one-half $(10\frac{1}{2})$ feet, thence east ten rods to section line between sections twenty-one (21) and twenty-two (22), thence north to quarter $(\frac{1}{4})$ post between sections twenty-one (21) and twenty-two (22); thence east one (1) mile to quarter $(\frac{1}{4})$ post between sections twenty-two (22) and twenty-three (23); thence south one mile to quarter post between sections twenty-six (26) and twenty-seven (27), thence west one mile to place of beginning, in Free-soil township, Mason county, Michigan.

The question of incorporation of said village was submitted to the electors in the territory affected at a special election held on Friday,

June 11, 1915, with the following result: Yes, 40; No, 34.

Record of proceedings filed in the office of Secretary of State, June 19, 1915.

Copies of charter filed September 27, 1915.

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